

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 34 through 38 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 44, 45, 46, 47, 48 and add Claims 49 through 53 as follows:

1 - 43. (Cancelled)

44. (Currently Amended) An image capture apparatus comprising:

an image capture unit that captures images;

a mode setting unit adapted to set ~~a frame rate, the number of pixels, and a compression ratio individually according to user requests~~ one of a plurality of image capture modes in accordance with a selection by a user before said image capture unit captures the images; and

a control unit that ~~controls~~ determines a frame rate applied to the captured images according to the ~~frame rate~~ image capture mode set by said mode setting unit, the number of pixels of each of the captured images according to the ~~number of pixels~~ image capture mode set by said mode setting unit, and a compression ratio applied to the captured images according to the ~~compression ratio~~ image capture mode set by said mode setting unit.

45. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further

comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually ~~set~~ determined by said ~~setting control~~ unit.

46. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a recording unit that records the captured images ~~controlled by said control unit~~  
on a recording medium.

47. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the captured images ~~controlled by said control unit~~ wirelessly after the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio are individually determined by said control unit.

48. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually ~~set~~ determined by said ~~setting control~~ unit;

a recording unit that records the captured images ~~controlled by said control unit~~  
on a recording medium; and

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the captured images ~~controlled by said control unit~~ wirelessly after the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually are determined by said control unit.

49. (New) A method of controlling an image capture apparatus, the method comprising the steps of:

capturing images;

setting one of a plurality of image capture modes in accordance with a selection by a user before the images are captured; and

determining a frame rate applied to the captured images according to the image capture mode set in said setting step, the number of pixels of each of the captured images according to the image capture mode set in said setting step, and a compression ratio applied to the captured images according to the image capture mode set in said setting step.

50. (New) A method according to claim 49, further comprising the step of:  
displaying information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually determined in said determining step.

51. (New) A method according to claim 49, further comprising the step of:  
recording the captured images on a recording medium.

52. (New) A method according to claim 49, further comprising the step of:  
transmitting the captured images wirelessly after the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio are individually determined in said determining step.

53. (New) A method according to claim 49, further comprising the steps of:  
displaying information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually determined in said determining step;  
recording the captured images on a recording medium; and  
transmitting the captured images wirelessly after the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio are individually determined in said determining step.